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Re: Resubmittal of Stormwater Program for Compliance - Jordan Water Supply Nutrient Strategy New Development Rule

Dear Mr. Robinson:

This letter is written in response to your email dated 2/28/12 transmitting comments from NC Division of Water Quality staff on Wake County's proposed stormwater program submitted for compliance with the Jordan Lake New development Rule. As a reminder, Wake County intends to adopt the Nutrient Strategy by reference in our existing Unified Development Ordinance and will not adopt the model ordinance. We are submitting our revised proposed stormwater program for review via the website previously used for our submission:

www.wakegov.com/water/stormwater/management/jordanlake_9_10_11.htm

As requested, we have: 1) replaced the *Adoption Timeline New Development Rule* with the Jordan timeline; 2) included a note on the Jordan Timeline regarding Wake County's adoption of buffer rules exceeding the Jordan Rules; 3) modified the *Ordinance Amendment* as requested; and 4) provided a *Full Resubmittal Document, March 16, 2012 (PDF), PART 1-2* for our complete resubmittal. Due to size, the submittal document has been divided into two parts and placed on the website. Please note that we did not include excel documents in the PDF and have labeled them as "Web Access Only".

Also, we still need an unlocked version of DENR's revised tool to reconcile any differences between the Jordan Tool and the Wake County Hybrid Tool. If you could provide us with an unlocked version, Jennifer Mitchell can verify compliance with any modified methodology. If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Melinda Clark". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "M".

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